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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

1.	Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114					
	\boxtimes	Previously submitted				
		\boxtimes	Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 previously			
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		Susper	nsion of action on the above-identified application is requ	ested under 37			
	v	` '	a period of @@ months. (Period of suspension shall not e 7 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required)	xceed three (3)			
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3.	Fees:		The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. 1.114 when the RCE is filed.				
		\boxtimes	A check in the amount of \$780.00 for filing fee (Small E	Entity) and			
		three month extension of time is enclosed.					
		\boxtimes	Petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) to exte	and the time for			
			response to the Office Action of January 18, 2000 to an 18, 2000 comprising an extension of the shortened statut three month(s).	•			
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			for the appropriate length of time, should one be necessary connection with this filing or any future filing submitted. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-identified app the pendency of this application. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees related to any such extensi	to the U.S. lication during further			

SHOULD ANY DEFICIENCIES APPEAR with respect to this application, including deficiencies in payment of fees, missing parts of the application or otherwise, the United States Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to promptly notify the undersigned.

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